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The reply filed on 03/14/08 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Amendments to a claim 1 is not clear. The limitations "to a location outside the body" is not well understood. For example, does the Applicant's representative is referring to "body" as the patient's body or something else? If the Applicant's representative is referring to the patient's body then the Applicant's representative should write the following in order to avoid a claim objection of a 35 USC 101 rejection by trying to claim part of a human body. Correction or clarification is required. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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